

Meeting Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR A 56-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD and OPEN HOUSE/PUBLIC MEETING Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ)

Notice of Release of the Draft Groundwater Remedial Investigation (RI) Report for the Broadway-Pantano Water Quality Assurance Revolving Fund (WQARF) Registry Site and Public Meeting to Solicit Groundwater Remedial Objectives for the Broadway-Pantano WQARF Site

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE the State of Arizona, ex rel., Stephen A. Owens, Director, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has determined to release the draft groundwater Remedial Investigation (RI) report for the Broadway-Pantano WQARF Registry Site in Tucson, Pima County, Arizona.

A groundwater RI report is prepared to identify the nature and extent of contaminated waters of the state and the sources thereof; identify current and potential impacts to public health, welfare and the environment; identify present and reasonably foreseeable uses of waters of the state; and obtain and evaluate any other information necessary for identification and comparison of alternative remedial actions.

The Broadway-Pantano WQARF Site is located in east-central Tucson, and is bounded approximately by Speedway Boulevard to the north, the Pantano Wash to the east, Calle Madero to the south, and Sahuara Avenue to the west. The site consists of the Broadway North Landfill (BNL) and the northern part of the Broadway South Landfill, and the associated groundwater which is contaminated with tetrachloroethene (PCE), trichloroethene (TCE) and vinyl chloride occurring over regulatory limits. Other contamination is buried metal waste at a dross site at the far southern section of the BNI.

A copy of the draft groundwater RI will be available for review beginning Wednesday, **April 4**, **2007**, at the following locations:

- **ADEQ Southern Regional Office**, Suite 433, 400 W. Congress, Tucson, AZ. Call 520-628-6715 or 1-888-271-9302 to arrange an appointment, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday–Friday. You can also request a copy of the report on a CD by calling 520-628-6715.
- **◆ City Council Office**: Carol West, Ward 2, 7575 E. Speedway, Tucson, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday–Friday.

- Main Library, 101 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson, 3rd floor Reference Desk/Public Comment Documents. Call 520-791-4393 for hours.
- ADEQ Central Office, 1110 W. Washington Street, Phoenix, AZ. Please call the ADEQ Records Center at 602-771-4380 or 800-234-5677 [press 1/option 7/option 2] for an appointment, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday–Friday.

An OPEN HOUSE AND PUBLIC MEETING will be held on Wednesday, May 23, 2007, 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., at the Eastside City Hall, 7575 E. Speedway Blvd., Room C, Tucson, AZ, to solicit groundwater Remedial Objectives (cleanup goals) for the Broadway-Pantano WOARF Site. All interested parties will be given an opportunity at the meeting to comment on the draft groundwater RI and to propose groundwater Remedial Objectives for the site.

Comments received on both the draft groundwater RI report and on the groundwater Remedial Objectives will be compiled in a Responsiveness Summary to be included in the final groundwater RI report.

DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS: Written comments on the draft groundwater RI report and proposed groundwater Remedial Objectives must be postmarked to ADEQ by Tuesday, **May 29, 2007**.

Dated this 4th day of April, 2007 Stephen A. Owens, Director Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

For more information about the Broadway-Pantano WQARF Site Contact: Gretchen Wagenseller, ADEQ Project Manager: 520-628-6708, or Eileen Palese, Community Involvement Coordinator: 520-628-6712 Web Site Information at: www.azdeg.gov

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